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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA ROANOKE DIVISION

OTIS ANTONIO SMITH,	)	Civil Action No. 7:06ev00391
Petitioner,	)	
	)	<u>ORDER</u>
v.	)	
	)	
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	By: Samuel G. Wilson
Respondent.	)	United States District Judge

In accordance with the Memorandum Opinion entered this day, an evidentiary hearing is hereby **ORDERED** on the issue of whether Smith requested his attorney to file an appeal.

The Clerk of the Court is directed to send a certified copy of this Order and accompanying Memorandum Opinion to the petitioner.

ENTER: This /7/n/day of January, 2007.

United States District Judge